

said first piece comprising said at least a first portion and  
said second piece comprising said second portion.

*Quinton*  
*Contd*  
8. A backflow preventor assembly, as claimed in claim  
8, wherein said housing is provided as two separate pieces and  
wherein said means for permitting movement includes a first  
annular flat provided on said first piece and a second annular  
flat provided on said second piece.

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12. A method, as claimed in claim 7, wherein said  
housing includes first and second separate pieces and wherein  
said step of moving comprises rotating said first piece with  
respect to said second piece.

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13. A backflow preventor apparatus, as claimed in  
claim 12, wherein said housing comprises first and second separate  
pieces.--

REMARKS

The present amendment is being made to add claims  
directed to disclosed subject matter not claimed in the  
originally-filed claims. Support for the amendment to the  
specification is found at page 20, lines 32-36.

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